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Time Insurance Company

Entity ID Number 1878543

**Entity Served:** 

Time Insurance Company

Title of Action:

Lori K. Wilhoit vs. Time Insurance Company

Document(s) Type:

Summons/Complaint

Nature of Action:

Contract

Court:

Washington Chancery Court, Tennessee

Case Number:

37159

Jurisdiction Served:

Tennessee

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Howell H. Sherrod, Jr.

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# STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INSURANCE 500 JAMES ROBERTSON PARKWAY NASHVILLE, TN 37243-1131

October 22, 2008

Time Insurance Company 2908 Poston Avenue Nashville, TN 37203 NAIC # 69477 CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED 7008 1830 0000 6980 0413 Cashier # 5760

Re: Lori K. Wilhoit V. Time Insurance Company

Docket # 37159

To Whom It May Concern:

We are enclosing herewith a document that has been served on this department on your behalf in connection with the above-styled matter.

I hereby make oath that the attached Complaint For Declaratory Judgment was served on me on October 14, 2008 by Lori K. Wilhoit pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-2-504 or § 56-2-506. A copy of this document is being sent to the Chancery Court of Washington County, TN.

Brenda C. Meade Designated Agent Service of Process

**Enclosures** 

cc: Chancery Court Clerk Washington County P O Box 356 Jonesborough, Tn 37659

# IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE AT DIOHISON CITY DIONESBOROUGH

#### **CIVIL SUMMONS**

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# IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE AT JOHNSON CITY

LORI K. WILHOIT  Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	Civil Action No. 37159
TIME INSURANCE COMPANY	)	
Defendant.	) )	

## COMPLAINT FOR DECLARATORY JUDGMENT

Comes the plaintiff, Lori K. Wilhoit (hereinafter to referred to as "Wilhoit"), by and through her attorney, Howell H. Sherrod, Jr., and would show unto this Honorable Court is support of the Complaint the following:

- That Wilhoit is a citizen and resident of Washington County, Tennessee, residing at 3005 S. Hills Drive, Johnson City, Tennessee 37601.
- 2. That the defendant, Time Insurance Company (hereinafter referred to as "Time") at all times material is corporation licensed and doing in the state of Tennessee with its agent for service of process being the Commissioner of Insurance, Department of Commerce and Insurance.
- 3. That at all times Wilhoit was insured for injuries such as the injuries received out of which this claim arose by the defendant having a certificate number: 0058551847 (copy attached as Exhibit 1).
- 4. That the defendant has been advised of a claim under the aforementioned policy and has been assigned a claim/document: 86788365.

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- 5. That Wilhoit's claim was wrongfully turned down contrary to the language of the contract on May 26, 2008 and again on June 9, 2008..
- 6. That the defendant has anticipatorily refused to pay the loss even though demand has been made and the failure to pay has inflicted additional expense, loss or injury including attorney fees upon the holder of the policy in violation of T.C.A. § 56-7-105.

### PREMISES CONSIDERED, PLAINTIFF PRAYS:

- 1. That the Court render a judgment for declaratory relief relative to the rights, duties, status and other legal relations between the parties including but not limited to whether or not Wilhoit's claim has been wrongfully denied. Additionally, Wilhoit seeks compensatory and punitive damages as may appear to be proper in the amount not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) and Three Million Dollars (\$3,000.000.00) respectively.
- Such other further and general relief to which she may be entitled including, but not limited to prejudgment interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori K. Wilhoit

Βv

Howell H. Sherrod, Jr., BPR No. 842

Attorney for Plaintiff

SHERROD, GOLDSTEIN & LEE

249 East Main Street

Johnson City, Tennessee 37604

(423) 928-8321

#### COST BOND

We acknowledge ourselves as principal and sureties for the costs of this cause.

SHERROD, GOLDSTEIN & LEE Attorneys at Law 249 East Main Street Johnson City, Tennessee 37604 (423) 928-8321

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HOWELL H. SHERROD, JR.